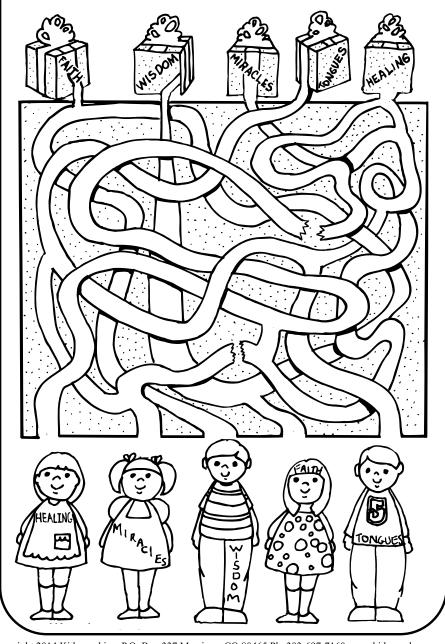
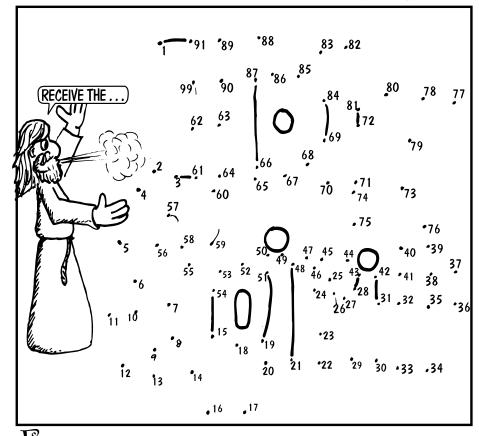
Jod gives us wonderful gifts through the Holy Spirit. These gifts help us live and serve in the world and in the church.

Help each child get the gift meant for her or him.



Pentecost

Entecost means fiftieth (50th). For Jewish people Pentecost was the celebration of the end of the grain harvest. This feast came 50 days after *Passover*, when they celebrated the time God set their ancestors free from slavery in Egypt.



For Christians, Pentecost became the birthday of the church. The Holy Spirit filled the followers of Jesus with God's love and power on this day, fifty days after Jesus rose from the dead.

